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STATE OF NEW JERSEY

Board of Public Utilities
Two Gateway Center
Newark, NJ 07102
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| IN THE MATTER OF THE PETITION OF) | WATER AND WASTEWATER |
| PINELANDS WASTEWATER COMPANY) | ORDER FURTHER SUSPENDING |
| FOR APPROVAL OF AN INCREASE IN) | INCREASES, CHARGES OR |
| RATES FOR WASTEWATER SERVICE,) | ALTERATIONS IN RATES FOR SERVICE |
| A CHANGE IN DEPRECIATION RATES,) | |
| AND OTHER TARIFF CHANGES) | DOCKET NO. WR03121017 |

(SERVICE LIST ATTACHED)

BY THE BOARD¹:

On December 30, 2003, pursuant to N.J.S.A. 48:2-21, 48:2-21.1, and N.J.A.C. 14:1-5.12, Pinelands Wastewater Company (Petitioner), a public utility of the State of New Jersey subject to the jurisdiction of the Board of Public Utilities (Board) and serving 2,341 customers within the communities known as Hampton Lakes and LeisureTowne in Southampton Township, Burlington County, New Jersey, filed a petition for a revision of its rates for wastewater service proposed to become effective on February 1, 2004. By letter dated January 7, 2004, the Petitioner amended its petition and changed the effective date to February 15, 2004. On January 9, 2004, the Board transmitted this matter to the Office of Administrative Law for hearing. On February 11, 2004, the Board suspended these rates until June 15, 2004, pending a determination on the hearing on the justness and reasonableness of Petitioner's rates.

¹ Commissioner Frederick F. Butler did not participate in the deliberation or the vote on this matter.

In light of the fact that this proceeding is pending before the Office of Administrative Law, the Board HEREBY ORDERS, pursuant to N.J.S.A. 48:2-21, that the proposed revisions be and are hereby further suspended until October 15, 2004, unless the Board, prior to that date, makes a determination disposing of the petition.

DATED: **5/12/04**

BOARD OF PUBLIC UTILITIES
BY:

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PRESIDENT

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COMMISSIONER

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COMMISSIONER

ATTEST:

(SIGNED)

KRISTI IZZO
SECRETARY

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FOR WATER SERVICE
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